

Clean Energy & Environmental Education Foundation Funding Opportunities



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The following list of foundation funding opportunities was compiled by the Seattle Regional Office, U.S. Department of Energy, from The Foundation Center's Database on CD-ROM FC Search® Version 6.0. FC Search® contains funding information on over 65,000 foundations and corporate giving programs. For more information on these funding opportunities, and the FC Search® database, go to: <http://www.fdncenter.org/>.

There are thousands of organizations accepting proposals for energy and environmental education projects; this list does not suggest that "the search stops here." Rather, our intent was to present a list of foundations that meet the following 4 criteria: 1) Each organization identifies "energy AND education" or "environmental education" as a specific field of interest; 2) The stated purpose and activities of these organizations align with potential energy and/or environmental education projects; 3) Each organization funds projects nationwide or to specific states within the Seattle Region (AK, AZ, CA, HI, ID, NV, OR, and WA); 4) Each organization accepts proposals. We hope this snapshot of funding opportunities is useful.

National Focus

America the Beautiful Fund

1730 K St., N.W., Ste. 1002
Washington, DC 20006-3868
Telephone: (202) 638-1649
Contact: Nanine Bilski, Pres.
Additional tel.: (800) 522-3557
FAX: (202) 204-0028
URL: <http://www.freeseeds.org>

Purpose and Activities: The fund works to preserve our national heritage by assisting community-level programs and projects to save the natural and man-made environment and improve the quality of life.

Fields of Interest: Community development; Environment, natural resources; Environmental education; Historic preservation/historical societies; Historical activities.

Geographic Focus: National

Types of Support: Building/renovation, In-kind gifts, Seed money.

Limitations: Giving on a national basis.

American Gas Foundation

400 N. Capitol St. N.W., Ste. 450
Washington, DC 20001
Telephone: (202) 824-7255
Contact: Kevin Hardardt, Exec. Dir.

Purpose and Activities: The foundation's intent is the advancement of education concerning the distribution and transmission of natural gas by providing training and educational programs and conferences, and conducting charitable and other activities.

Fields of Interest: Community development; Education; Engineering/technology; Environment; Environment, energy; Science.

Geographic Focus: National

Limitations: No support for fraternal, political, labor or religious organizations, United Way-supported organizations, or for organizations whose programs are local in scope; or for capital

fund drives, fundraising dinners, conferences or other special events. No grants to individuals (except for Louis A. Sarkes Scholarship Program); or for general operating support.

Chintu Gudiya Foundation

453 Lincoln Ave.

Alameda, CA 94501

Fields of Interest: Crime/violence prevention, domestic violence; Education; Environmental education; India.

Geographic Focus: National; international

Limitations: Giving in the U.S., including programs for the benefit of India.

The Educational Foundation of America

35 Church Ln.

Westport, CT 06880-3515

Telephone: (203) 226-6498

Contact: Diane M. Allison, Exec. Dir.

E-mail: efa@efaw.org

URL: <http://www.efaw.org>

Purpose and Activities: Grants primarily for arts, education, energy and the environment, reproductive health and rights, population, and education programs benefiting Native Americans.

Fields of Interest: Arts; Civil liberties, reproductive rights; Education; Environment; Environment, energy; Environment, natural resources; Native Americans/American Indians; Reproductive health, family planning.

Geographic Focus: National

Types of Support: Matching/challenge support, Program development, Seed money.

Limitations: Giving limited to the U.S. No grants to individuals, annual fund-raising campaigns, or for capital or endowment funds; no loans.

The Greenville Foundation

283 2nd St. E.

Sonoma, CA 95476

Telephone: (707) 938-9377

Contact: Virginia Hubbell, Admin.

FAX: (707) 939-9311

URL: <http://fdncenter.org/grantmaker/grnville>

Purpose and Activities: The foundation is interested in the following areas: afterschool mentoring and gifted/talented education programs; alternative energy, long-term environmental stewardship, local economies and ecosystems; international community development and conflict resolution; domestic, urban programs for family/youth development, civil rights, civil liberties and advocacy; religion programs for pastoral outreach training, Christian youth outreach and social ministry services.

Fields of Interest: Child development, services; Civil liberties, advocacy; Civil rights; Civil rights, race/intergroup relations; Community development; Education; Environment; Environment, energy; Family services; Health care, counseling/pastoral care; Human services; International affairs, goodwill promotion; International human rights; International peace/security; Leadership development; Public policy, research; Religion; Theological school/education; Youth development, services.

Geographic Focus: National; international

Types of Support: Conferences/seminars,

Matching/challenge support, Program development, Seed money.

Limitations: Giving primarily in west of the Rockies for local programs; selective giving also on a national and international basis through U.S.-based non-profit organizations. No grants to individuals, or for operating budgets, scholarships, capital improvements or endowments.

Kleh Family Foundation

10811 Greenwillow, No. 25

Houston, TX 77035

Contact: William H. Kleh, Dir.

Fields of Interest: Animals/wildlife, preservation/protection; Boys clubs; Education; Elementary/secondary education; Environmental education; Foundations (public); Higher education, college.

Geographic Focus: National

Limitations: Giving on a national basis.

Laird Norton Endowment Foundation

801 2nd Ave., Ste. 1300

Seattle, WA 98104

Telephone: (206) 464-5242

Contact: Patrick de Freitas, Pres.

FAX: (206) 464-5099

E-mail: defreitas@lairdnorton.org

URL: <http://www.lairdnorton.org>

Purpose and Activities: Giving to fund distinctive programs in conservation and forestry education.

Fields of Interest: Environment, forests; Environment, natural resources; Environmental education.

Geographic Focus: National

Types of Support: Curriculum development, Equipment, Internship funds, Matching/challenge support, Program development, Publication, Research, Seed money.

Limitations: Giving on a national basis, with emphasis on the Pacific Northwest. No grants to individuals, or for capital campaigns, annual campaigns, building funds, endowment funds, scholarships, international projects, programs for specific animals, operating budgets, or general expenses; no loans.

The Mazda Foundation (USA), Inc.

1025 Connecticut Ave., N.W., Ste. 910

Washington, DC 20036

Contact: Barbara Nocera, Prog. Dir.; and Annemarie Render, Prog. Rep.

FAX: (202) 223-6490

E-mail: bnocera@mazdausa.com

URL: <http://www.mazdafoundation.org/>

Purpose and Activities: Giving primarily to education for youth.

Fields of Interest: Civil rights, race/intergroup relations; Education; Education, reading; Environment, natural resources; Environmental education; Medical research; Scholarships/financial aid.

Geographic Focus: California; Michigan; Mississippi

Types of Support: Curriculum development, Exchange programs, General/operating support, Research, Scholarship funds.

Limitations: Giving primarily in CA, MI, and MS, as well as to national programs. No support for religious organizations. No grants to individuals, or for fundraising dinners or events, or capital building, endowment, or debt reduction drives.

Limitations: Giving limited to Alameda and San Francisco counties, CA. No grants to individuals.

The Pew Charitable Trusts

1 Commerce Sq.

2005 Market St., Ste. 1700

Philadelphia, PA 19103-7077

Telephone: (215) 575-9050

Contact: Rebecca W. Rimel, Pres.

FAX: (215) 575-4939

E-mail: info@pewtrusts.com

URL: <http://www.pewtrusts.com>

Purpose and Activities: The Pew Charitable Trusts support nonprofit activities in the areas of culture, education, the environment, health and human services, public policy and religion. Based in Philadelphia, the trusts make strategic investments to help organizations and citizens develop practical solutions to difficult problems.

Fields of Interest: Aging, centers/services; Animals/wildlife, preservation/protection; Arts; Biological sciences; Biomedicine; Child development, education; Child development, services; Children/youth, services; Christian agencies & churches; Civil rights; Community development; Disasters, 9/11/01; Economically disadvantaged; Education; Elementary/secondary education; Employment; Environment; Environment, energy; Environment, natural resources; Family services; Government/public administration; Health care; Higher education; Historic preservation/historical societies; Homeless; Homeless, human services; Housing/shelter, development; Human services; Humanities; Immigrants/refugees; Leadership development; Media, journalism/publishing; Minorities; Minorities/immigrants, centers/services; Museums; Performing arts; Performing arts, dance; Performing arts, music; Performing arts, theater; Population studies; Protestant agencies & churches; Public affairs; Public affairs, citizen participation; Public affairs, election regulation; Public health; Religion; Rural development; Science; Secondary school/education; Social sciences; Urban/community development; Visual arts; Voluntarism promotion; Youth development, citizenship; Youth development, services.

Geographic Focus: Pennsylvania; national; international

Types of Support: Conferences/seminars, Continuing support, Employee matching gifts, Fellowships, General/operating support, Internship funds, Matching/challenge support, Program development, Program-related investments/loans, Publication, Research, Seed money, Technical assistance.

Limitations: Giving on a national basis, with a special commitment to the Philadelphia, PA, region. No support for political organizations. No grants to individuals, or for endowment funds, capital campaigns, construction, equipment, deficit financing, scholarships, or fellowships (except those identified or initiated by the trusts).

Shell Oil Company Foundation

(Formerly Shell Companies Foundation, Inc.)

910 Louisiana, Ste. 4137

P.O. Box 2099

Houston, TX 77252

Telephone: (713) 241-3616

Contact: A.H. Myres, V.P.

FAX: (713) 241-3329

E-mail: socfoundation@shellus.com

URL: http://www.countonshell.com/community/involvement/shell_foundation.html

Purpose and Activities: Preferred areas of giving are education, civic and public policy, community involvement, culture and the arts, environment, and health and human services.

About 48 percent of the budget is channeled through a number of planned programs that provide student aid, faculty development, basic research grants, departmental grants and to a few national educational organizations. Main interests in education are math, engineering, science, and business. The remaining funds are paid to a limited number of national organizations concerned with a broad range of needs and, to a greater extent, to local organizations in communities where significant numbers of Shell employees reside.

Fields of Interest: Animals/wildlife, preservation/protection; Arts; Business school/education; Business/industry; Cancer; Cancer research; Chemistry; Children/youth, services; Computer science; Disabled; Economically disadvantaged; Economics; Education; Elementary school/education; Engineering; Engineering school/education; Engineering/technology; Environment; Environment, energy; Environment, natural resources; Federated giving programs; General charitable giving; Government/public administration; Health care; Health organizations; Higher education; Hospitals (general); Human services; Law school/education; Libraries/library science; Mathematics; Medical research; Minorities; Minorities/immigrants, centers/services; Museums; Performing arts; Performing arts, dance; Performing arts, music; Performing arts, theater; Public affairs, citizen participation; Public policy, research; Residential/custodial care, hospices; Science; Secondary school/education; Substance abuse, services; Visual arts; Youth development, citizenship.

Geographic Focus: National

Types of Support: Annual campaigns, Capital campaigns, Consulting services, Continuing support, Curriculum development, Employee matching gifts, Fellowships, General/operating support, Matching/challenge support, Professorships, Program development, Publication, Research, Scholarship funds.

Limitations: Giving primarily in areas of company operations in the U.S. No support for special requests of colleges, universities, and college fundraising associations, or hospital operating expenses. No grants to individuals, or for endowment funds, capital campaigns of national organizations, or development funds; no in-kind or product contributions; no loans.

Singing for Change

P.O. Box 7210

Kansas City, MO 64113

Contact: Judith Ranger Smith, Exec. Dir.

FAX: (816) 363-1290

E-mail singingforchange@compuserve.com

Purpose and Activities: Funding primarily for human services.

Fields of Interest: Children/youth, services; Education; Environmental education; Human services.

Geographic Focus: National

Types of Support: Continuing support, General/operating support.

Limitations: Giving on a national basis. No support for religious organizations, or other grant-making operations. No grants to individuals, or for art, music, or recreational purposes.

Surdna Foundation, Inc.

330 Madison Ave., 30th Fl.

New York, NY 10017-5001

Telephone: (212) 557-0010

Contact: Edward Skloot, Exec. Dir.

FAX: (212) 557-0003

E-mail: request@surdna.org

URL: <http://www.surdna.org>

Purpose and Activities: The foundation's guidelines focus on five areas: 1) The Environment, specifically transportation and energy, urban and suburban issues, and biological and cultural diversity; 2) Community Revitalization, which takes a comprehensive and holistic approach to restoring communities in America; 3) Building an Effective Citizenry, to advance social and emotional learning, enhance conflict resolution theory, practice and expand opportunities for service and citizenship, and support character development and ethical behavior; 4) The Arts; and 5) The Nonprofit Sector. The foundation is particularly interested in fostering catalytic, entrepreneurial programs that offer solutions to difficult systemic problems.

Fields of Interest: Arts education; Community development; Disasters, 9/11/01; Dispute resolution; Economic development; Environment; Environment, energy; Environment, natural resources; Housing/shelter, development; Philanthropy/voluntarism; Public affairs, citizen participation; Urban/community development.

Geographic Focus: National

Types of Support: Continuing support, General/operating support, Program development, Technical assistance.

Limitations: No support for international projects, or programs addressing toxics, hazardous waste, environmental education, sustainable agriculture, food production and distribution. No grants to individuals, or for capital campaigns, building funds, endowments, or land acquisition.

United States-Japan Foundation

145 E. 32nd St., 12th Fl.

New York, NY 10016

Telephone: (212) 481-8753

FAX: (212) 481-8762

E-mail: info@US-JF.org

Tokyo, Japan office address: Reinanzaka Bldg. 1F, 1-14-2

Akasaka, Minato-ku, Tokyo 107-0052, Japan, tel.: (03)

3586-0541

FAX: (03) 3586-1128

E-mail: JDU05456@nifty.ne.jp

URL: <http://www.us-jf.org>

Purpose and Activities: The United States-Japan Foundation is committed to promoting stronger ties between Americans and Japanese by supporting projects that foster mutual knowledge and education, deepen understanding, create effective channels of communication, and address common concerns in an increasingly interdependent world. The current focus of grantmaking activities is in the areas of communication/public opinion, precollege education and policy studies.

Fields of Interest: Asia; Economics; Education; Elementary school/education; Environment; Environment, energy; Government/public administration; International affairs; International affairs, foreign policy; International economic development; Japan; Public policy, research; Secondary school/education.

Geographic Focus: National; international

Types of Support: Curriculum development, Matching/challenge support, Program development, Publication, Research.

Limitations: Giving primarily in the U.S. and Japan. No support for projects in the arts involving performances, exhibitions, or productions, or for sports exchanges or student exchanges. No grants to individuals, or for building or endowment funds, capital campaigns, deficit operations.

United States Steel Foundation, Inc.

(Formerly USX Foundation, Inc.)

600 Grant St., Rm. 685

Pittsburgh, PA 15219-4776

Telephone: (412) 433-5237

Contact: Craig D. Mallick, Genl. Mgr.

FAX: (412) 433-6847

URL: <http://www.ussteel.com/corp/ussfoundation/ussfound.htm>

Purpose and Activities: Giving for capital and operating grants primarily for higher education, including matching gifts and support of educational associations; health and human services, including the United Way; arts and culture; and scientific affairs.

Fields of Interest: Arts; Business school/education; Children/youth, services; Computer science; Crime/violence prevention, youth; Disabled; Economically disadvantaged; Economics; Education; Engineering; Engineering school/education; Engineering/technology; Environment; Environment, energy; Environment, natural resources; Federated giving programs; Health care; Higher education; Historic preservation/historical societies; Human services; Law school/education; Libraries (public); Mental health/crisis services; Minorities; Museums; Native Americans/American Indians; Performing arts; Public affairs; Public policy, research; Safety/disasters; Science; Substance abuse, services.

Geographic Focus: National

Types of Support: Building/renovation, Capital campaigns, Employee matching gifts, Employee-related scholarships, Equipment, General/operating support, Scholarship funds.

Limitations: Giving primarily in areas of company operations in the U.S., including AK, AL, CO, IL, IN, LA, MI, MN, OH, OK, western PA, and TX. No support for religious organizations for religious purposes, economic development projects, or preschool to grade 12 education, hospitals or nursing homes. No grants to individuals (except for employee-related scholarships), or for conferences, seminars, symposia, travel, exhibits, special or fundraising events, fellowships, publication of papers, books or magazines, production of films, videotapes, or other audio-visual materials, or operating support of United Way agencies; no loans.

Wallace Genetic Foundation, Inc.

4900 Massachusetts Ave., N.W., Ste. 220

Washington, DC 20016

Telephone: (202) 966-2932

Contact: Patricia Lee, Co-Exec. Dir. or Carolyn Sand,
Co-Exec. Dir.

FAX: (202) 966-3370

E-mail: WGFDN@aol.com

Purpose and Activities: Support for agricultural research and preservation of farmland, environmental education and natural resource conservation.

Fields of Interest: Agriculture; Environment, natural resources; Environmental education; Latin America; Public policy, research; Soviet Union (Former).

Geographic Focus: National

Types of Support: Continuing support, General/operating support, Land acquisition, Matching/challenge support, Program development, Research, Seed money.

Limitations: No grants to individuals, or for scholarships, endowments, or university overhead expenses; no loans.

Multi-States w/in Seattle Region Focus

The Bullitt Foundation

1212 Minor Ave.

Seattle, WA 98101-2825

Telephone: (206) 343-0807

Contact: Denis Hayes, Pres.

FAX: (206) 343-0822

E-mail: info@bullitt.org

URL: <http://www.bullitt.org>

Purpose and Activities: Giving primarily for the protection and restoration of the environment in the Pacific Northwest, including mountains, forests, rivers, wetlands, coastal areas, soils, fish, and wildlife.

Fields of Interest: Animals/wildlife; Environment; Environment, energy; Environment, natural resources; Environmental education; Transportation.

Geographic Focus: Alaska; Idaho; Montana; Oregon; Washington

Types of Support: Emergency funds, Employee matching gifts, Equipment, General/operating support, Matching/challenge support, Program development, Program-related investments/loans, Seed money.

Limitations: Giving exclusively in the Pacific Northwest. No support for political organizations. No grants to individuals, or for capital campaigns or multi-year grants.

The Burning Foundation

5135 Ballard Ave., N.W.

Seattle, WA 98107

Telephone: (206) 781-8472

Contact: Therese Ogle, Grants Consultant

FAX: (206) 784-5987

E-mail: OgleFounds@aol.com

URL: <http://fdncenter.org/grantmaker/burning/>

Purpose and Activities: Giving in the following areas: to protect the region's rivers, forest, native fish, and land; to help low-income youth become environmental stewards; and to address the impact of overpopulation and to develop effective pregnancy prevention strategies for teens.

Fields of Interest: Animals/wildlife, fisheries; Environment, forests; Environment, land resources; Environment, natural resources; Environment, water resources; Environmental education; Youth, pregnancy prevention; Youth, services.

Geographic Focus: Oregon; Washington

Types of Support: General/operating support, Program development.

Limitations: Giving limited to WA and OR for environmental requests, and the Puget Sound area for conservation programs for youth and teen pregnancy prevention programs. No support for private schools. No grants to individuals for research or scholarships, or for capital

campaigns for building construction or renovations, computer, software, or office equipment purchases, or book, video, film, or home-page productions, unless the production is an essential component of the funded project.

The C.A.W. Foundation

P.O. Box 29906

San Francisco, CA 94129-0906

Telephone: (415) 561-6540

Contact: Mary Gregory, Exec. Dir.

Application address: Presidio Bldg., 1016, No. 300, P.O.Box

29906, San Francisco, CA 94129

URL: <http://pacificfoundationservices.com/caw>

Fields of Interest: Children/youth, services; Education; Environmental education; Family services, domestic violence; Health care; Human services; Residential/custodial care, hospices; Substance abuse, prevention; Substance abuse, treatment; Youth development.

Geographic Focus: California; Washington

Types of Support: Building/renovation, Capital campaigns, Continuing support, General/operating support, Program development.

Limitations: Giving primarily in San Francisco, San Benito, Mendocino and southern Monterey counties, CA; some giving also in San Luis Obispo County, CA and Seattle, WA. No grants to individuals or religious entities, or for medical research, endowments or annual appeals.

George Frederick Jewett Foundation

The Russ Bldg.

235 Montgomery St., Ste. 612

San Francisco, CA 94104

Telephone: (415) 421-1351

Contact: Ann D. Gralnek, Sr. Advisor

FAX: (415) 421-0721

E-mail: TFBjewettf@aol.com or ADGjewettf@aol.com

Purpose and Activities: To carry on the charitable interests of the donor to stimulate, encourage, and support activities of established, voluntary, nonprofit organizations which are of importance to human welfare. Interests include arts and culture, music, education, libraries, environment (with particular emphasis on land conservation, oceanographic studies and population), protection of environment, including population issues and scientific research, health and social services.

Fields of Interest: Arts; Education; Environment; Environment, beautification programs; Environment, land resources; Environmental education; Health care; Human services; Libraries (public); Marine science; Performing arts, music; Science.

Geographic Focus: California; Washington

Types of Support: Building/renovation, Equipment, General/operating support, Land acquisition, Matching/challenge support, Program development, Research, Seed money, Technical assistance.

Limitations: Giving primarily in San Francisco, CA, Spokane, WA, and in geographic areas of which trustees and family members have knowledge. No support for private or operating foundations or organizations which receive support from public tax funds. No grants to individuals, or for emergency funds (except for disaster relief), purchase of tickets or support of fundraising events; no loans.

Alaska Focus

Alaska Conservation Foundation

441 W. 5th Ave., Ste. 402

Anchorage, AK 99501-2340

Telephone: (907) 276-1917

Contact: Deborah L. Williams, Exec. Dir.

FAX: (907) 274-4145

E-mail: acinfo@akcf.org

URL: <http://www.akcf.org>

Purpose and Activities: Awards grants to protect the integrity of Alaskan ecosystems and promote sustainable livelihoods among Alaskan communities and peoples; awards to honor outstanding environmental volunteer activists and professionals, and to sustain community development.

Fields of Interest: Animals/wildlife, preservation/protection; Animals/wildlife, sanctuaries; Community development; Economic development; Environment; Environment, natural resources; Environmental education; Public affairs; Social sciences.

Geographic Focus: Alaska

Types of Support: Conferences/seminars, Consulting services, Continuing support, Emergency funds, Equipment, General/operating support, Grants to individuals, Internship funds, Matching/challenge support, Program development, Program evaluation, Publication, Research, Scholarships--to individuals, Seed money, Technical assistance.

Limitations: Giving primarily in AK. No grants for annual campaigns, deficit financing, building funds, land acquisition, renovation projects, general or special endowments, or exchange programs; no student loans.

Arizona Focus

Honeywell Foundation

101 Columbia Rd.

Morristown, NJ 07962

Telephone: (973) 455-5876

Contact: Andre Lewis, Exec. Dir.

FAX: (612) 951-0433

URL: <http://www.honeywell.com/about/foundation.html>

Purpose and Activities: Grants primarily for higher education, community funds, cultural programs, and youth agencies.

Fields of Interest: Adult education--literacy, basic skills & GED; Arts; Child development, education; Child development, services; Children/youth, services; Community development; Education; Education, early childhood education; Education, reading; Elementary school/education; Employment; Environment; Environment, energy; Family services; Higher education; Housing/shelter, development; Human services; Leadership development; Minorities; Minorities/immigrants, centers/services; Museums; Performing arts; Performing arts, dance; Performing arts, music; Performing arts, theater; Secondary school/education; Visual arts; Voluntarism promotion; Women; Women, centers/services; Youth development, services.

Geographic Focus: Arizona; Florida; Illinois; Minnesota; New Mexico

Types of Support: Annual campaigns, Capital campaigns, Continuing support, Employee matching gifts, General/operating support, Grants to individuals, Program development, Seed money.

Limitations: Giving limited to cities where the company has major facilities, with emphasis on Minneapolis, MN; support also in AZ, FL, IL, and NM. No support for religious denominations for support of denominational causes; or political, fraternal, veterans', or professional organizations. No grants to individuals (except for Teacher Mini-Grants), or for general endowment funds, deficit financing, fundraising, land acquisition, matching or challenge grants, research, demonstration projects, conferences, testimonial events, athletic scholarships, advertising, publications, or production of films or special broadcasts; no loans.

California Focus

Center for Ecoliteracy

2522 San Pablo Ave.

Berkeley, CA 94702-2013

Telephone: (510) 845-4595

Contact: Zenobia Barlow, Exec. Dir.

FAX: (510) 845-1439

E-mail: info@ecoliteracy.org

URL: <http://www.ecoliteracy.org>

Purpose and Activities: The center is dedicated to fostering a profound understanding of the natural world, grounded in direct experience, that leads to sustainable patterns of living.

Fields of Interest: Environment; Environmental education.

Geographic Focus: California

Types of Support: Conferences/seminars, Curriculum development, General/operating support, Program development, Research, Technical assistance.

Limitations: Giving primarily in the San Francisco Bay/Delta Area, CA.

Conservation Endowment Fund

c/o Litton & Williams, C.P.A.

P.O. Box 1170

Oak View, CA 93022-1170

Contact: John E. Taft, Pres.

Application address: 2162 Baldwin Rd., Ojai, CA 93023

Purpose and Activities: Giving primarily for environmental education.

Fields of Interest: Environmental education.

Geographic Focus: California

Limitations: Giving primarily in CA. No grants to individuals.

Bernard Osher Foundation

909 Montgomery St., Ste. 300

San Francisco, CA 94133

Telephone: (415) 861-5587

Contact: Patricia Tracy-Nagle, Sr. V.P.

FAX: (415) 677-5868

E-mail: nagle@osherfoundation.com

Purpose and Activities: Giving primarily for the arts and humanities, including the fine and performing arts, education, especially higher education, and environmental education.

Fields of Interest: Arts; Education; Environmental education; Higher education; Humanities; Museums; Performing arts; Performing arts, dance; Performing arts, music; Performing arts, theater; Visual arts.

Geographic Focus: California

Types of Support: Capital campaigns, General/operating support, Program development.

Unocal Foundation

14141 S.W. Freeway

Sugar Land, TX 77478

Contact: Gregory F. Huger, Pres.

Application address: c/o Stephen L. Hayes, Unocal Corp.,

14141 S.W. Freeway, Houston, TX 77478, tel.: (281) 287-7917

Purpose and Activities: Giving primarily for higher education and community development organizations.

Fields of Interest: Arts; Children/youth, services; Community development; Education; Environment, energy; Federated giving programs; Higher education.

Geographic Focus: California; Illinois; Texas

Types of Support: Annual campaigns, Continuing support, Employee matching gifts, Employee-related scholarships, Equipment, Fellowships, Research, Scholarship funds.

Limitations: Giving primarily in areas of parent company operations in CA, IL, and TX. No support for veterans', fraternal, sectarian, social, religious, athletic, choral, band, or similar groups, trade or business associations, state agencies and departments, or elementary or secondary education. No grants to individuals (except for employee-related scholarships), or for general purposes, capital funds for education, endowment funds, courtesy advertising, conferences, supplemental operating support to recipients of United Funds, or for trips or tours; no loans.

Oregon Focus

PGE Corporate Giving Program

1 World Trade Ctr.

121 S.W. Salmon St.

Portland, Oregon 97204

Telephone: (503) 464-7618

Contact: Kathy Carlson, Mgr., Community Resources

Purpose and Activities: As a complement to its foundation, PGE also makes charitable contributions to nonprofit organizations directly. Support is given primarily in areas of company operations.

Fields of Interest: Adult education--literacy, basic skills & GED; Aging; Aging, centers/services; Animals/wildlife, preservation/protection; Arts; Arts, cultural/ethnic awareness; Children/youth, services; Children, services; Community development; Crime/law enforcement; Economically disadvantaged; Economics; Education; Education, early childhood education; Education, reading; Elementary school/education; Environment; Environment, energy; Family services; Government/public administration; Health care; Higher education; Homeless; Homeless, human services; Housing/shelter; Human services; Humanities; Leadership development; Legal services; Libraries/library science; Minorities; Minorities/immigrants, centers/services; Museums; Performing arts; Performing arts, theater; Public affairs; Public affairs, citizen participation; Substance abuse, services; Visual arts; Women; Women, centers/services; Youth development, citizenship; Youth development, services; Youth, services.

Geographic Focus: Oregon

Types of Support: Building/renovation, Capital campaigns, Donated equipment, Employee volunteer services, General/operating support, In-kind gifts, Matching/challenge support, Program development, Research, Scholarship funds, Use of facilities.

Limitations: Giving primarily in areas of company operations in OR. No grants to individuals.

Washington Focus

Discuren Charitable Foundation

c/o Perkins Coie

1201 3rd Ave., 40th Fl.

Seattle, WA 98101-3099

Telephone: (425) 828-3737

Contact: F. Jean Watson, Admin. Asst.

E-mail: gcoy@isomedia.com

Purpose and Activities: Supports programs related to education, literacy and drop-out prevention.

Fields of Interest: Education; Education, drop-out prevention; Education, early childhood education; Environmental education.

Geographic Focus: Washington

Types of Support: Conferences/seminars, Consulting services, Continuing support, Curriculum development, Program development, Program-related investments/loans, Research, Seed money.

Limitations: Giving primarily in WA. No support for military efforts, or for religious missionary work or programs only benefitting adherents to specific faiths. No grants to individuals.